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Sizes are from one to six years. In all the best colorings of the season.

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Hats for Little Girls

Pretty styles that will harmonize with the color and style of the coat.

Velvets, velours, felts and beavers, also novel combination effects; tailored styles with floppy stitched brims.

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## "Five Styles at Five Dollars"

The Model for Your Figure Is Here in the New

## "Madam Irene" Corsets for Fall

The new features of Madam Irene for fall are the wanted long skirt and the short-back steels; styles for slender, medium and large figures.

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Style One has boneless hip, new short-back steel; nip-in waist; low bust, eyelace lacing below front clasp \$5.00

Style Two has rubber insets in groin section, long back skirt; short back steel, nip-in waist; three sets of garters \$5.00

Style Three has medium high bust; particularly desirable for slender figures; short back steel; three sets of garters; lace and satin ribbon trim—\$5.00

Style Four shows new high bust, nip-in waist, short back skirt, long skirt; four sets garters; double steel over hips to prevent stretching.... \$5.00

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## WAR-TIME STORIES OF LIFE IN FRANCE

"Movie" Soldiers Can Drink Their Tipple, Forbidden to Real Fighting Men.

## PRINCESS' BAD TEMPER DRIVES AWAY GUESTS

Kitchener Claims for England Clock From Sunken British Ship Presented to Foreign Ministry.

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BY HERBERT COREY.

PARIS, September 4.—Two soldiers in full campaign kit mounted guard before a brandy bottle under a restaurant awning on the Rue Vincennes. This is forbidden to soldiers. Beer and light wines mark the frontier of their alcoholic advances.

A general jolted by on his horse. The two soldiers looked at him calmly. They seemed interested. He jolted back and stopped his horse.

"Hey, you," said he. "You militiaires!"

The two soldiers continued to look at him. One of them sipped his brandy. The other said:

"What will you, monsieur?"

The general had what would have been a fit in any person not completely dignified. He turned a dull, dazed expression on the two soldiers. He seemed to place them under two or three sorts of arrest. The soldiers continued to regard him calmly. The second soldier sipped his brandy. The first soldier said:

"Do not fash yourself, monsieur. We are not real soldiers. We work for a cinema."

The general jolted on. The soldiers winked at each other gravely. "It is a beau stratagem," said the first soldier. "After this we can take our appetites in comfort."

Decorum Answers Depotism.

There is a princess of the old regime in Paris. She is not overly intelligent, perhaps, nor particularly good to look at, nor young. But she is just as irascible and domineering as though these were still the days of Louis Philippe.

At a recent dinner in her home she took it into her head to defend autocratic Germany and desecrated democratic France. One of her young guests took issue with her, courteously. The princess nodded to her butler.

"Bring me M. Youngster's carriage," said she. "He leaves immediately after coffee."

The conversation veered to another point of the social compass. Every one chatted brightly about everything. Eventually the butler announced M. Youngster's carriage.

The young man bade his hostess a courteous farewell. So did every other guest.

The anachronistic princess was left, gasping, alone.

Claimed Clock for England.

Lord Kitchener was one of the most insatiable of collectors. When he fixed his fancy on an article he simply refused to be denied.

The story goes that on his last visit to France he noticed the clock in the Salle de l'Histoire of the ministry of foreign affairs. Mr. Briand himself recounted the history.

A King of France had sent it by way of thanks to an Indian prince who had aided France in a war against Great Britain. The English sank the vessel that bore it and it was many years before the clock was recovered.

"Then it belongs to England," said Kitchener. "It was a prize of war."

Mr. Briand entered into a half-laughing, half-serious discussion of the legal points involved in which he found himself hard put to it to resist the determination of the soldier. At last Kitchener laughingly renounced the clock, but only for the moment:

"You shall give it to me when the war is over," said he, "as a gage of victory."

Jawless Man Laughs With Eyes.

A little nurse in the surgical ward of the American Ambulance told this story of one of her patients.

The whole lower jaw of the man had been shot away. But he is a young giant, he is magnificently courageous and incredibly hungry. The gruel prepared for him does not nearly satisfy his appetite.

The other day some one smuggled a banana in and gave it to him. "He managed to crumble it up and swallow it while I was out of the ward," said the nurse. "When I came back I was very sorry. I told him it would make him sick. But he laughed at me."

"How," asked a horrified listener, who had seen for himself the condition of the patient, "could such a man laugh?"

"He laughed above the bandages," said the nurse, "with his eyes."

Prisoner's Insolence Met.

In a hospital not far from Paris are several convalescing prisoners of war. Each morning they are required to stand at attention at the foot of their beds, fully dressed, while the inspecting officer makes his rounds.

One of the prisoners is a captain. He is always as surly and unpleasant as he dare be. Not long ago he grinned at the inspecting officer as he approached.

"Where are your trousers?" demanded the inspecting officer when he reached the captain's bed.

"I am mending them," said the captain.

The inspecting officer proceeded to an inspection of the trousers. They were not being mended. They were not in need of mending. The prisoner had simply been impudent.

"I cannot doubt the word of an officer," said the inspecting officer, suavely. "It is certain that my eyes are at fault in finding the hole that needs patching. I shall send these to the tailor and tell him not to return them until he finds and mends the hole."

Two weeks have gone by. The Prussian captain is no longer surly and impatient. He looks almost pleasant. The inspecting officer each morning as he stands at the foot of his bed, neatly wrapped in a sheet.

War Transforms Trade.

On the Rue Edouard Sept is a show window which tells in dramatic fashion the story of the past three years. Over the window is the sign that up to August, 1914, told of the business that was carried on within. It reads:

"Marie-Rose, Costumiere."

In that show window today is offered to the gaze of the passerby a large collection of artificial limbs.

every superior officer in his army corps. An exaggeration, of course. But it is not so much of an exaggeration. Before these varied comments are given, interminable inquiries are conducted. The French bureaucracy reveals in these delightful yards of red tape. These formalities lead one to expect a certain efficiency from the bureaucracy. But the fact has just been revealed that since March 14 a sanitary train, completely equipped, and furnished with a crew of thirty-two men, has been lost. All that time it has been standing on a side track, steam up in the engine, waiting for the order to go somewhere.

Things One Must Not Say.

Truly enough, they do things differently over here.

Only a little while before the war red posters flamed on the boulevards, signed by members of the royalist party, declaring the republic is a complete failure, and by direct implication suggesting that the people rise and overthrow the republic and return to the ideal form of government. No one did anything that. No one even cared. But...

If you call your quarrelsome neighbor a Boche—good night! You will be arrested, fined, lectured, and generally reprimanded.

If you say that another man's written engagement is "only a chiffon of paper"—good night! That's fatal. Court decisions hold that you must not even by implication compare a good Frenchman to Herr Bethmann-Hollweg.

If you call a man a Lebourgeois, thereby indicating that he is given over to bureaucratic method—good night! More court decisions. If you say that an Englishman likes tea—rock on! More court decisions. It is against public policy to thrust sticks into the ally's case.

But you can say in print that M. de B— is all the different sorts of a scoundrel, if you are only careful to call him M. de B—

## RIGHTS OF LABOR MEN.

Court Approves Peaceful Organization, But Denounces Lawlessness.

DENVER, Col., September 19.—The right of organized or unorganized bodies of persons peacefully to persuade their fellow workers to join a union has been upheld by the United States court of appeals, in a decision handed down in a case from a lower court in Arkansas. The court, however, denounces lawless methods of attempting to bring about organization and sustained judgment given against Arkansas miners who are alleged to have beaten a mine foreman.

The assault is said to have been perpetrated upon E. T. Lohrer, foreman of a mine of the Roche-Denman Co. Company, in Sebastian county, Ark., April 6, 1914.

Lohrer brought suit for damages against Mike Cisco and seventeen others.

Protest Against Mexican Mine Law. American corporations having idle mines in Mexico today appealed to the State Department to protest against a new mining decree reported under consideration by Gen. Carranza, which, they declared, might operate to confiscate their property. The department has not received official information on the subject, but is making inquiries at Mexico City.

Even delivery of newspapers is enjoined by a quarantine established at Geneva and St. Charles, Ill., because of development of two cases of infantile paralysis.

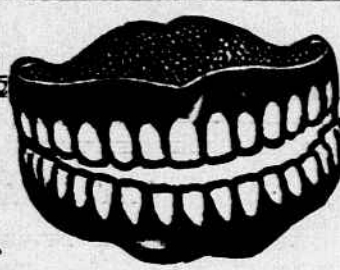
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